



## **RIVERSIDE COMMUNITY POLICE REVIEW COMMISSION OUTREACH AD HOC COMMITTEE**

**June 11, 2014**

**Present: Jane Adams, Joe Ortiz, Bobby Taylor**

### **PowerPoint Presentation/Video**

Jane updated the committee on Phoebe's research into having G-TV prepare a PowerPoint for us as well as Frank's input. We discussed what we would like to see included in the PowerPoint:

- We would like it to be a PowerPoint with bullet points that commissioners can use for purposes of discussion including:
  - History of the Commission / The Tyisha Miller killing that precipitated the formation
  - Civilian Oversight in General
  - Formation of the Commission
  - Composition both in general and the current composition
  - Complaint / Commendation Process
  - OIDs
  - Decision Process beyond the CPRC
  - Policy Recommendations by the Commission

**Jane will discuss the PowerPoint further with Frank and update the group on the conversation.**

### **Update to Assignments:**

- **Jane**
  - Contact Alvord and Riverside school districts regarding access to government/civics classes & at-risk youth programs  
**Jane contacted both school districts Asst. Superintendent of Instruction and left messages for them to call back. She will talk to them both about middle schools, high schools, continuation schools as well as any programs they have for at risk youth.**
  - Contact Phoebe about how to access G-TV – **see above**
  - Contact Phoebe regarding the need for an increase in the number of brochures we have on hand – **Phoebe was asked at the last meeting to obtain more brochures.**
- **Joe**
  - Contact Operation Safe House regarding how CPRC can best interact with them.  
**Joe has set up a meeting for our committee to tour Operation Safe House on Wednesday, June 18 at 6:00 p.m. We will see what programs they offer and explain our commission and outreach and see if there is a good place for us to interface with their participants.**

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- Take brochures to Legal Aid and to the Inland Empire Latino Lawyers Association  
**Joe will be doing this within the next week.**

- **Bobby**

- Contact Homeless Shelters regarding how CPRC can best interact with them.  
**Bobby contacted Path of Life Ministries here in Riverside. They have several programs that his contact felt might benefit from our presentation including Reentry Homes, Recovery Homes, Feeding Programs and Sober Living Homes. We discussed these and we felt that the Transitional Housing Programs that include men and women who are living at a site as part of their probation might be the best place to begin our outreach to this program. Bobby has a contact so as soon as we have our PowerPoint we can reach out to this group.**
- Get information about the RPOA donation program to present at the next CPRC meeting.  
**The RPOA has a program called "Operation Blue Heart" which is a program to help area Veterans and their families who need assistance. They take donations including canned and boxed food, detergents, toiletries, clothing, linens and backpacks. The RPOA also helps many local organizations. Goods can be dropped off at 1965 Chicago Ave. Suite B, Riverside, Monday-Friday from 8 – 3.**

- **All**

- Talk to Chief Vicino at the next CPRC meeting about our idea for the "outstanding respect for the community" award  
**We did not get an opportunity to talk to Chief Vicino at the last meeting. Jane will e-mail him to give him an idea what we are looking at and see if we can talk to him at our next CPRC meeting.**

## **New Business**

We discussed the fact that we still need a commissioner from Ward 6. Jane and Robin talked to Councilman Perry at the Mayor's Night Out and he welcomes the Commission reaching out to the community to suggest that community members apply for the position. Bobby suggested that the most active community group in Ward 6 is the Residents for Responsible Representation. They have a meeting coming up on Monday, June 16 at 6. None of us are able to attend but Jane will check with Robin to see if she is available. Bobby will contact the chair of the group to see if we can do a short presentation if someone is available.

## **New Assignments**

- **Jane**

- Talk to Frank about the CPRC PowerPoint and update the group about the conversation
- Check with Robin about her availability on Monday, June 16 to attend the Ward 6 meeting.
- E-mail Chief Vicino regarding our idea of the "outstanding respect for the community" award.

- **Joe**

- Take brochures to Legal Aid and to the Inland Empire Latino Lawyers Association

- **Bobby**

- Contact the chair of the Residents for Responsible Representation about a potential presentation at the June 16 meeting.